

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir/Madam:

In order to comply with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, transmitted herewith is:

- 1) an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) (4 pages); and
- 2) a portion of the Communication Relating to the Results of the Partial International Search (3 pages).

The IDS complies with the requirements under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 and is being submitted pursuant to:

- ☒ 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), wherein the IDS is being offered for consideration in a:
  - ☐ national application, within three (3) months of the application filing date of the national application or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits.
  - ☒ international applications, within three (3) months of the date of entry into the national stage as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.491 or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits.
  - ☐ a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under § 1.114, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits

**Fees & Method of Payment**

- ☒ There is no fee required for submission of this IDS.
- ☐ The aforementioned selected fee is required for submission of this IDS.
- ☐ Fee payment(s) submitted via EFS-Web.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 501358.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees, or credit overpayment of the same, to Deposit Account No. 501358.

The Examiner's attention is kindly directed to the documents identified on the enclosed/attached Form PTO/SB/08. In addition, Examiner's attention is directed to the included portion of the Communication Relating to the Results of the Partial International Search which lists the references cited in the Information Disclosure Statement. Copies of U.S. Patents and Patent Application Publications are not required pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 and, therefore, have not been provided in connection with this submission.

It is respectfully requested that these references be fully considered by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office during the examination of this application and printed on any patent which may

issue thereon. Accordingly, Applicant(s) kindly requests that a copy of Forms PTO/SB/08, as considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next office communication.

An early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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